

ABSTRACT

A locking device protective cover system and method of installing such a protective cover system are disclosed. The inventive protective cover system includes a solid shroud or cover, anchor elements to attach the shroud in place over the locking  
5 device, a hasp element extending at least partially under the protective cover and to which the locking device is locked, such that upon locking the locking device to the hasp element, the locking device can not be removed from the hasp element unless the locking device is unlocked. As installed, the protective cover shields the locking device from vandalism. The inventive system is flexible such that it may be applied to most any  
10 access door and access way that can be secured by using an internally mounted hasp element sized and configured to engage with a locking device under the protective shroud.